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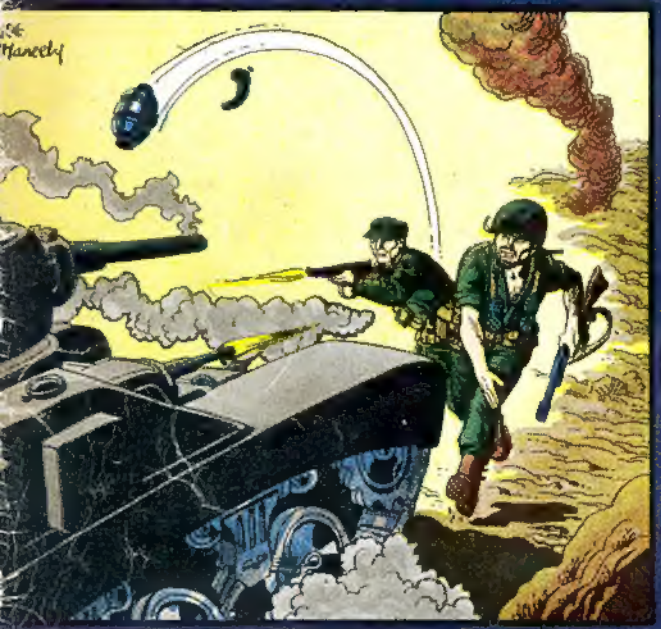

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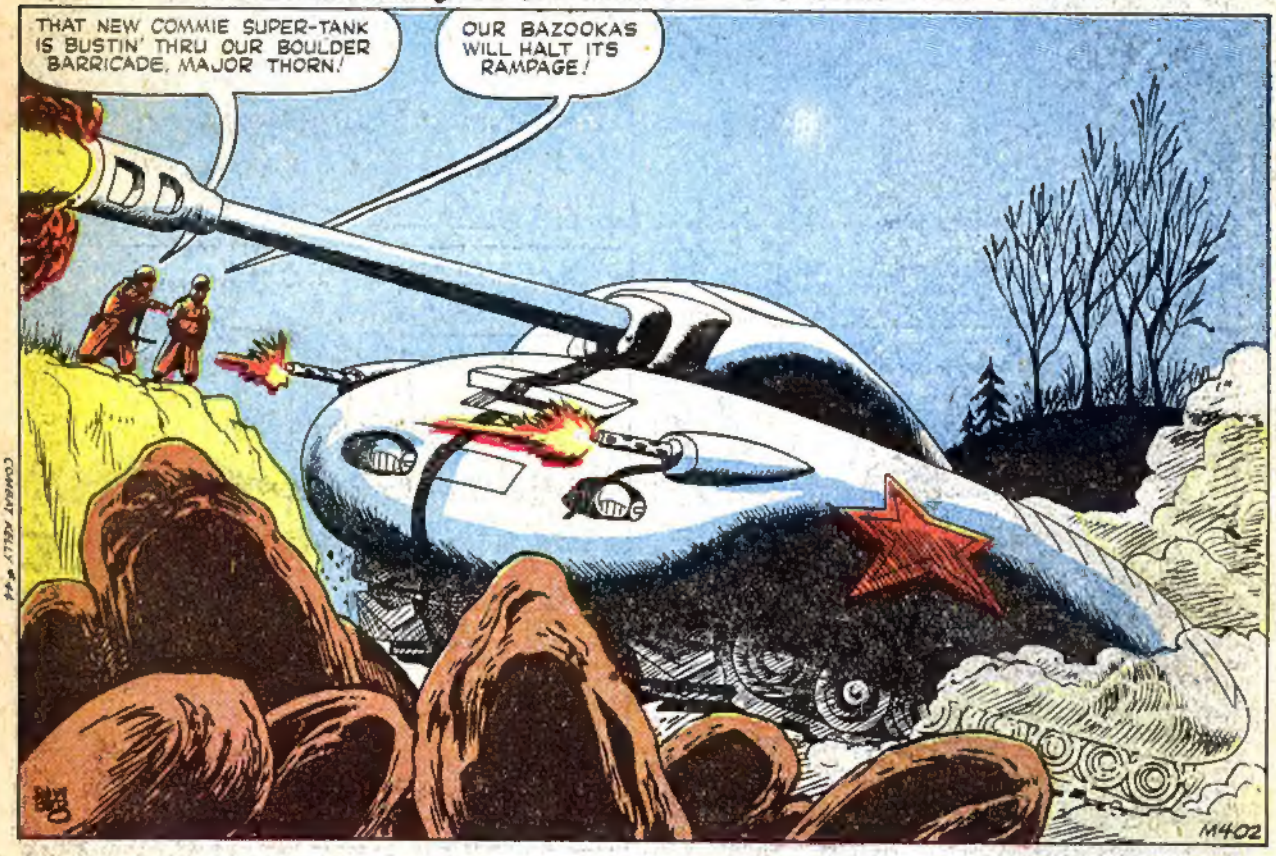
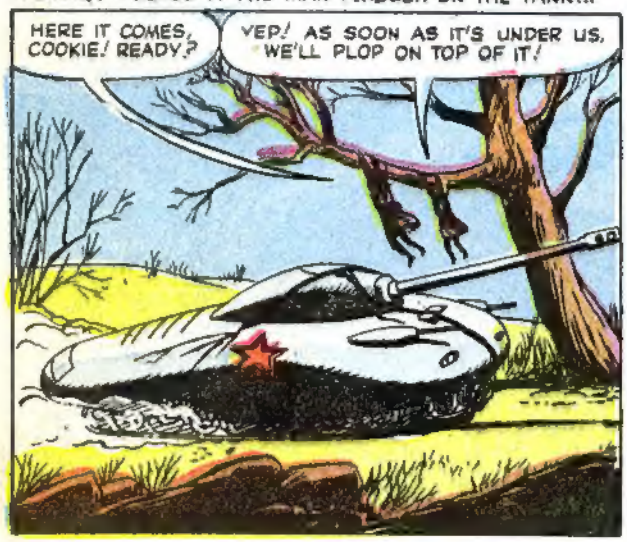
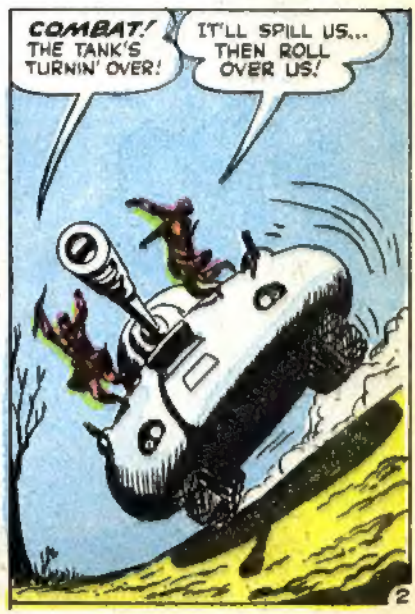


HA.! AGAIN WE FORCE THE YANKEES TO RETREAT/ AND WITH ONLY ONE TANK... AGAINST THEIR ENTIRE COMPANY!
YES, COMRADE CAPTAIN ...BUT WHAT A MAGNIFICENT TANK!

THAT'S WHAT **BAKER COMPANY** FOUND OUT THE NEXT DAY...WHEN **COMBAT KELLY** AND HIS BUDDY **COOKIE NOVAK** PULLED A TWO-MAN AMBUSH ON THE TANK...



THE GLASS MUST BE BULLETPROOF, COMBAT...ALL MY SLUGS ARE BOUNCIN' OFF!
AND THERE'S NO OTHER OPENING TO DEPOSIT THESE GRENADES INTO!



THAT WOULD'VE HAPPENED... IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR A TREE BRANCH...
GRAB IT!
GOT IT!
THOSE CRAZY COMMIES ROLLED THAT TANK OVER ON PURPOSE, COMBAT!
YEAH... BUT NOT BECAUSE THEY'RE CRAZY!
THEY DID IT 'CAUSE THAT'S WHAT THAT DOME IS ON THE TANK FOR... SO IT CAN ROLL OVER AND END UP ON ITS TREADS!
YEAH, I SAW IT ALL, COMBAT! AND I HATE TO KEEP REPEATING MYSELF... BUT IT LOOKS LIKE NOTHING CAN STOP THAT TANK!
IF NOTHING CAN, MAJOR, THEN WHAT'LL HAPPEN WHEN THEY GET A FLOCK OF 'EM UP AT THE FRONT?
IT'LL BE KIBOSH WITH A GREAT BIG "K"! I'M HANDING THIS DETAIL TO THE ROCK-AN-ROLL BOYS!
JETS WITH ROCKETS... YEAH! THEY CAN DELIVER A WHAMBO THAT CAN MAKE A BATTLESHIP LOOK LIKE A PUNCHBOARD!
A REQUEST LIKE MAJOR THORN'S GOT IMMEDIATE ATTENTION... AND THE BLOW TORCHES CAME JUICING IN ON THE PIG-IRON TARGET...
YA-HOO! WHAT A CLOBBERATION! WHAT'S LEFT OF THAT COMMIE TANK AFTER THIS, I'LL EAT!
HOPE YOU'VE GOT A GOOD APPETITE, COMBAT!

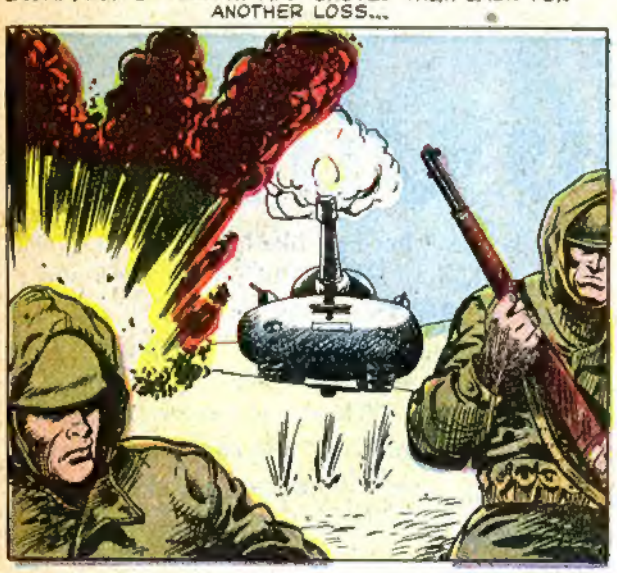
NOTHING THE YANKEES CAN DO WILL STOP THIS TANK! AND AFTER WE RETURN FROM THIS TEST ASSAULT, THIS MODEL TANK WILL BE COPIED AND PUT INTO MASS PRODUCTION!
AND TWENTY-FOUR HOURS AFTER THEY ALL APPEAR ON THE KOREAN BATTLE-FRONTS...THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WILL BE DRIVEN OUT OF KOREA!

IT IS NIGHT NOW...TIME TO REST! EMPTY THE GUN BREECH AND MAKE SURE ALL THE HATCHES AND EMBRASURES ARE SECURE!
WITH THOSE PRECAUTIONS TAKEN, WE CAN REST IN PEACE ...BECAUSE THERE IS NOTHING THE YANKEES CAN DO TO THIS TANK!

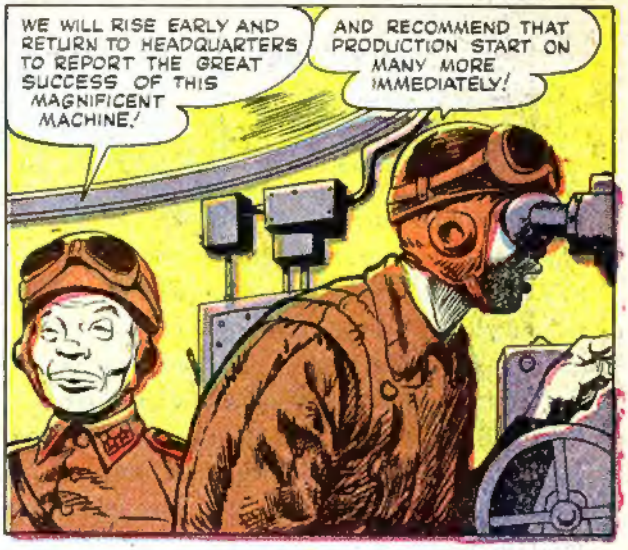
THEN THEY BELLY-CRUISED TOWARD THE TANK...

BUT THE G.I. WEAPONS GREW HEAVY IN THE DOGGIE'S HANDS AS THEY WAITED AND WATCHED THE FIRE BURN...AND THEN GO OUT!

THE NEXT DAY, THE RED TANK CUT DEEPER INTO *BAKER COMPANY'S* TERRAIN AND SHOVED THEM BACK FOR ANOTHER LOSS...



AND AT NIGHT, AS USUAL, THE COMMIES HALTED! THEY OPENED THEIR GUN BREECH, SECURED ALL EMBRASURES AND HATCHES AND GOT READY FOR THEIR SLEEP...


WE WILL RISE EARLY AND RETURN TO HEADQUARTERS TO REPORT THE GREAT SUCCESS OF THIS MAGNIFICENT MACHINE!
AND RECOMMEND THAT PRODUCTION START ON MANY MORE IMMEDIATELY!

THE REDS GOT UP THE NEXT MORNING ...EARLIER AND MORE ABRUPTLY THAN THEY HAD EVER EXPECTED...

WE CANNOT GET OUR SWOLLEN FINGERS INSIDE THE TRIGGER GUARDS OF OUR WEAPONS TO USE THEM! FORTUNATELY FOR YOU THAT A NEST OF BEES GOT INTO OUR TANK!
LADY LUCK DIDN'T PUT THEM THERE, CAPTAIN... COMBAT KELLY AND COOKIE DID!

"THEY REMEMBERED THAT TANK GUNNERS ALWAYS LEAVE THEIR GUN BREECHES EMPTY AND OPEN WHEN THE GUN'S NOT IN USE..."

SO WE'LL STUFF THIS BEEHIVE INTO THE MUZZLE...AND THE ANGRY BEES WILL COME OUT OF THE BREECH *INSIDE* THE TANK!
AND THE REDS WILL COME FLYIN' *OUT* OF THE HATCH!

HOLDING OUT

THE guard before the government house snapped to attention. It was a weary man who walked slowly forward and saluted the regimental colors. The flag was momentarily obscured by a billow of smoke, then it emerged, once more, into the sun. How long had it been flying there, he asked himself, counting up the days, the weeks.

The attack had started on October 12th of the previous year. It was now May 17th. And there was not a sign of the relief in sight.

A single drum beat as he crossed the courtyard. On the steps he paused. The rise on which the buildings stood gave him a good view of the besieged city. From the heights beyond . . . a low but long hill that had once been a park, the enemy colors waved. Out there, somewhere, was the main front line. It was no longer a line but a series of strong points, between which the enemy infiltrated.

But ammunition was running low. He knew that in some of the improvised forts but one or two shells were left. Rifle ammunition was almost gone.

The telegraph lines had been cut long ago; the last message he had sent was an appeal for troops, for the lifting of the siege. But there had never been an answer. Just the one desperate message . . . and then silence. Scouts had tried to escape the city under the cover of darkness, after that. Not one of the city's heroic, unyielding population had the slightest idea if any of them had gotten through. None had returned.

A gun boomed far off on the eastern approaches to the city . . . an enemy gun. The guards shrank back against the building's side. Once, perhaps, he would have sought cover. But all fear was gone, now. He just stood there on the steps, and waited. He had done a deal of waiting. The shell screamed over the city, struck and burst in a narrow street. There would be no one out in the streets, he knew. But the blast set a house in that street on fire. Even now, as he watched, the house was being evacuated, with connecting fences hewed down by the inhabitants as they left to prevent the spread of fire.

"Sir!"

The commandant of the city looked up.

At the iron doors stood his orderly. Like himself the orderly was ragged; like his own, the rags were carefully sewed. It was a spit-and-polish army; they fought well, and tried to keep looking like soldiers.

Silly, perhaps, he thought . . . but how like his men.

He walked up the steps and went inside.

"Heliograph message, sir . . . from the enemy."

"They're not surrendering, I suppose," the commandant said with dry humor, and the orderly smiled.

"No sir. It's a demand for surrender."

Together they walked to the commandant's office. Inside was a shell-damaged room, a badly scarred desk, some chairs, and sandbags against the windows. In one embrasure sat a captain, one arm in a sling, the other nursing a ready rifle.

The commandant poured himself a cup of tea, poured for the orderly and then the captain. He lit a cigar, sat down.

"Now what are they asking surrender for?" The commandant mused aloud. "Baskin, how long is it since we got the last demand?"

The orderly swallowed his tea, thought deep.

"A long time, sir," he said.

"It really looks hopeless this time," the other mused. He idly drummed on the desk with his fingers, "Batteries T, K, L and C have less than three shells left."

Absently he fingered the hilt of his sword, and a smile lit up his face. All three of them in the room had swords dangling

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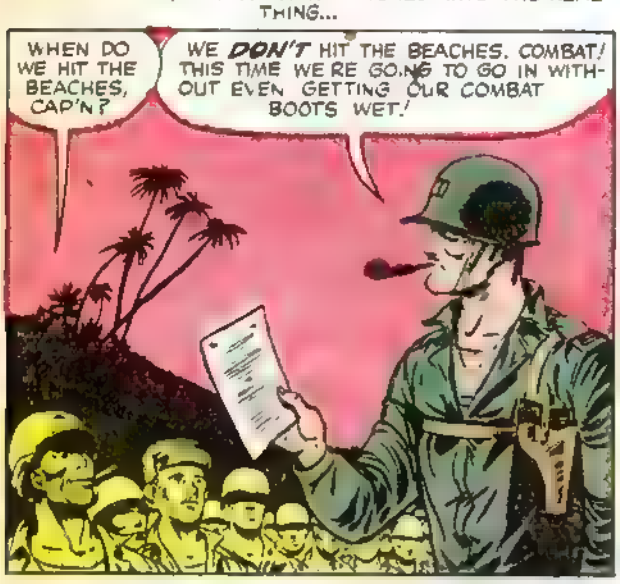
"NO GREATER TRIBUTE!"

GRAB A GANDER AT THAT GUY, COOKIE... HE FIGHTS LIKE AN ENLISTED MAN!
AN' SHOOTS LIKE ALL HIS BULLETS HAD 20-20 EYESIGHT!
IT HAPPENED DURING WORLD WAR II!

THAT'S WHAT WE WANT TO KNOW, SARGE... HOW COME?
TO GET A PROMOTION AN OFFICER HAS TO BE RECOMMENDED FOR IT BY SOMEBODY HIGHER UP! AN I GUESS THE GUYS UPSTAIRS ARE TOO BUSY TO NOTICE ALL THAT CAP'N THORN'S DONE!

A WEEK LATER, THE RUMORS HATCHED INTO THE REAL THING...

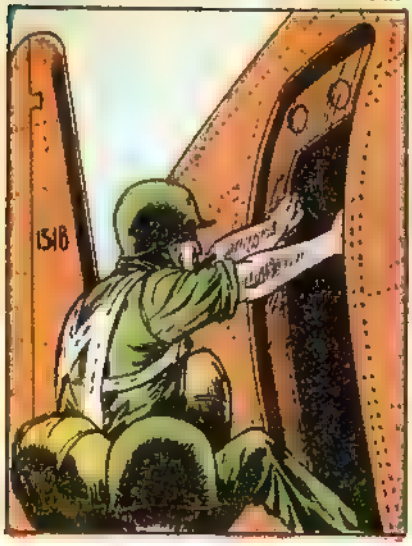

WHEN DO WE HIT THE BEACHES, CAP'N?
WE DON'T HIT THE BEACHES, COMBAT! THIS TIME WE'RE GO.NG TO GO IN WITHOUT EVEN GETTING OUR COMBAT BOOTS WET!

JUMPS FROM HASTILY-ERECTED MOCK-UPS CAME FIRST...

HOPS FROM BAMBOO-BUILT TOWERS FOLLOWED...

THEN CAME LEAPS FROM PLANES...

AT DAWN THE NEXT DAY, PLANE BELLIES WERE STUFFED WITH BAKER COMPANY DOGFACES...



THE PLANES GOT AIRBORNE, RENDEZVOUSED...AND TURNED THEIR PROPS TOWARD KABU...

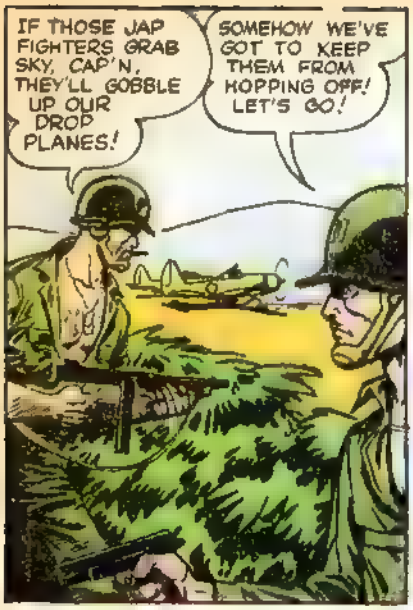
KABU IS USED BY THE JAPS AS AN AIRBASE FROM WHICH THEY BOMB OUR SHIPPING AND INVASION FORCES! IT'S GOT TO BE ELIMINATED...AND IT'S UP TO US TO DO IT!

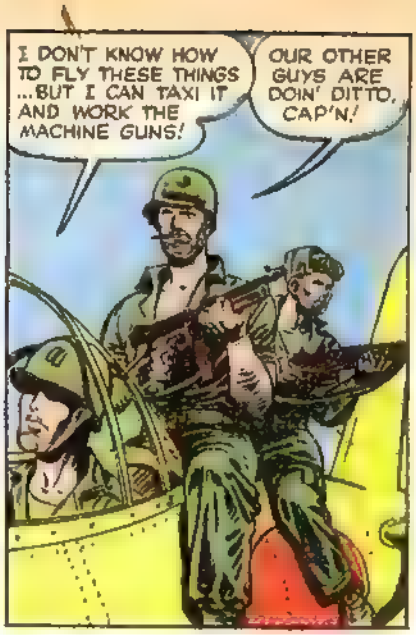
U.S. NAVY BATTLEWAGONS, CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS WERE PLASTERING THE PLACE WHEN THE AIR INVADERS GOT THERE...

HONORABLE COLONEL ...THE YANKEE FLEET HAS CEASED SHELLING!
ONLY TO ALLOW YANKEE INFANTRYMEN TO FALL UPON US FROM THE SKY! ORDER ALL REMAINING ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS TO OPEN FIRE AT THEM!

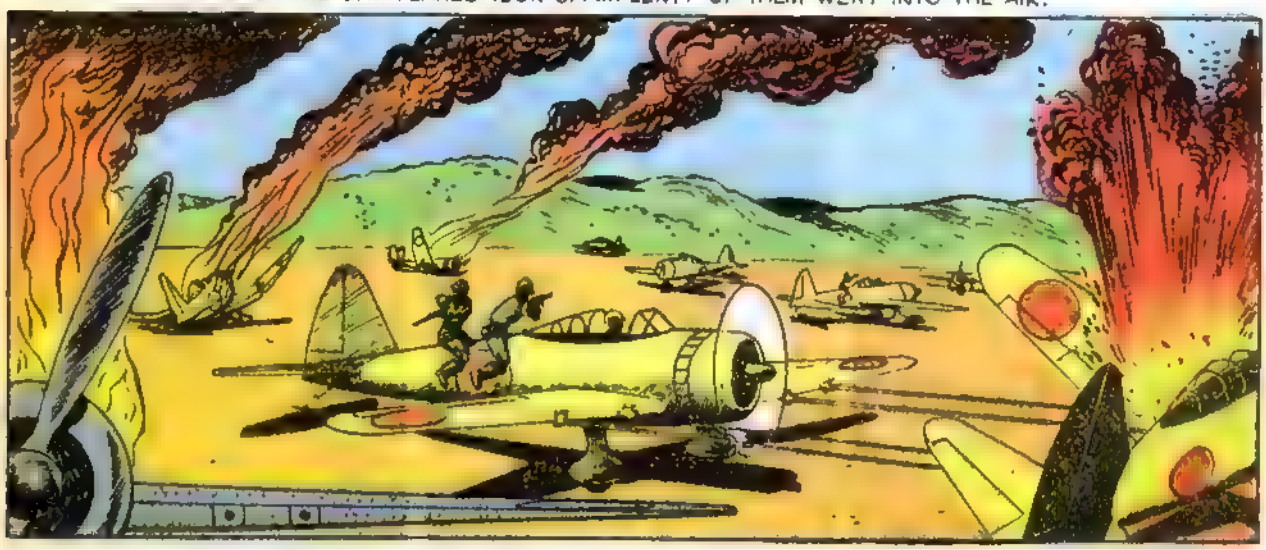
THE BAKER COMPANY DOGGIES WERE USED TO FIRING THEIR WEAPONS WHILE ON THEIR FEET OR ON THEIR BELLIES...NOW THEY WERE DOING IT WHILE HANGING IN THE AIR...

OUR ARTILLERY FAILED TO STOP THEM! SEND UP OUR FIGHTER PLANES TO BLAST THE YANKEE PLANES SO THEY CANNOT RETURN WITH SUPPLIES FOR THE TROOPS THEY DROPPED!
YES, HONORABLE, COLONEL!


IF THOSE JAP FIGHTERS GRAB SKY, CAP'N, THEY'LL GOBBLE UP OUR DROP PLANES!
SOMEHOW WE'VE GOT TO KEEP THEM FROM HOPPING OFF! LET'S GO!



CAPTAIN THORN FULL-THROTTLED HIS PLANE AND TRIGGERED ALL GUNS ON THE ZERO! THE OTHER DOGFACES FOLLOWED AND THEY AND THE JAPS TANGLED IN A ROUGH-AND-TUMBLE DOGFIGHT ON THE GROUND! AND THOUGH NONE OF THE JAP PLANES TOOK OFF... PLENTY OF THEM WENT INTO THE AIR!



WITHOUT THEIR HEFTY AIR ARM TO SLUG FOR THEM, THE JAP GROUND FORCES CAVED IN ON THE FIRST GRAND SLAM BY *BAKER COMPANY*...

WHEN THE BIG BRASS IN PEARL HARBOR HEARS OF THIS VICTORY, THEY'LL HAND CAP'N THORN HIS PROMOTION AN' HIS MAJOR LEAVES ON A SOLID SILVER MESS KIT!
MAYBE!

A MONTH AND A COUPLE OF ATOLLS LATER...

AFTER THEY WERE ROUNDED UP, EVERY BAKER COMPANY MAN AND OFFICER EXCEPT CAPTAIN THORN, COMBAT KELLY MADE A SPEECH...

SOUNDS CRAZY WHAT COMBAT WANTS US TO DO! BUT IT MIGHT WORK, HUH, LIEUTENANT?
IT'S NEVER BEEN DONE BEFORE...BUT THEY SAY THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING!

A WEEK AFTER THAT, CAPTAIN THORN RECEIVED AN OFFICIAL POUCH, FLOWN TO HIM ESPECIALLY, FROM PEARL HARBOR...

FOR THIS!
Attention, Major Thorn,
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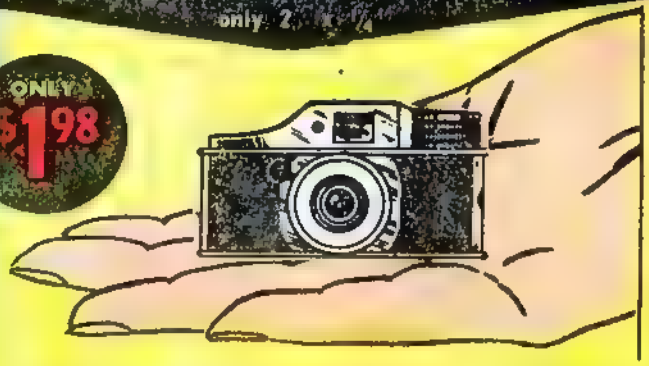

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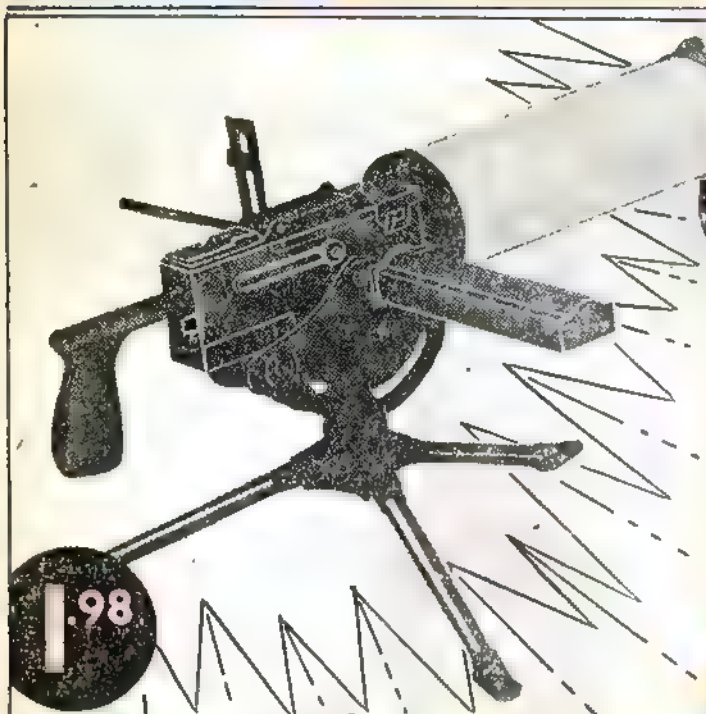

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COOKIE'S COMBAT TALES

FROM THE COMBAT TALES I'VE BEEN TELLIN' YOU ABOUT THE GUYS IN MY OUTFIT, I GUESS IT SOUNDS LIKE ***BAKER COMPANY*** WAS FULLA CHARACTERS, HUH? WELL, IT WAS...TAKE FOR INSTANCE "MANUEL, THE MAGNIFICENT"! HIS ***REAL*** HANDLE WAS CHAUNCY CHADWICK... AN' THE "MAGNIFICENT" MONIKER WAS HUNG ON HIM WHEN HE WAS A WRESTLER IN CIVVY LIFE...

THEN THERE WAS THE TIME I WAS UP AGAINST THOR THE TERRIBLE! HE WAS BUILT LIKE A GORILLA! HE CAME AT ME IN THE RING... I CROUCHED...

"HERE, THERE ...REDS EVERYWHERE!"

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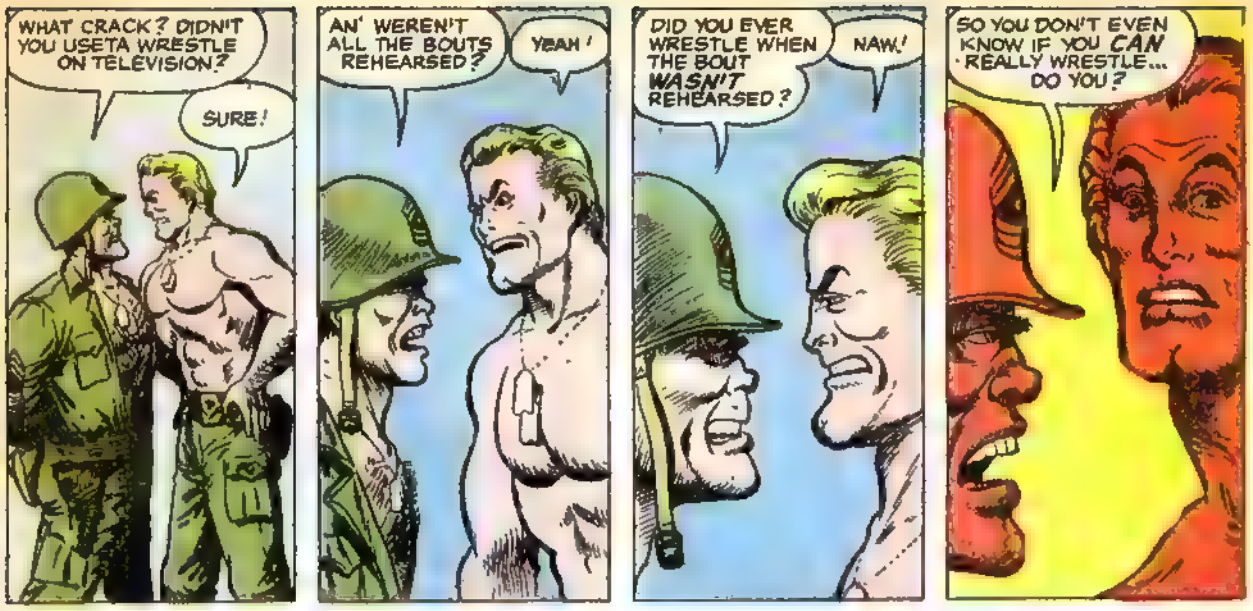
I SEE MANUEL THE MAGNIFICENT IS ENTERTAINING THE GUYS AGAIN WITH STORIES OF HIS WRESTLING BOUTS WHEN HE WAS A CIVVY!

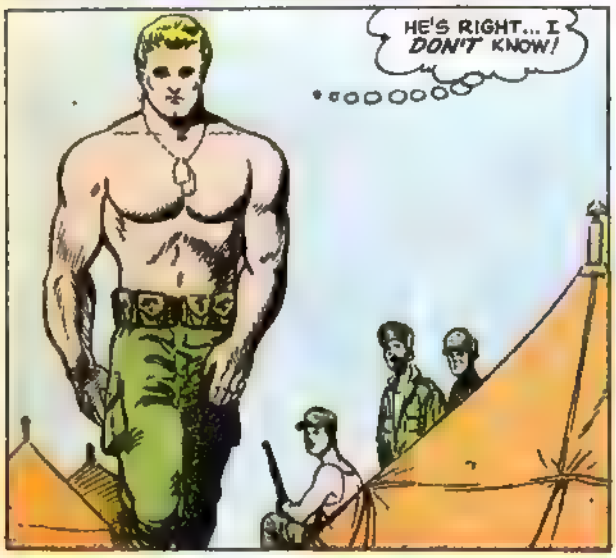
YEAH, MAJOR THORN... AN' THAT'S ALL IT WAS THEN... ***ENTERTAINMENT!***

I USED TO WATCH HIM WRESTLE ON TV... AN' IT WAS LIKE A REHEARSED COMEDY! IN A ***REAL*** MATCH, HE PROBABLY COULDN'T PIN A ***FLY*** DOWN!

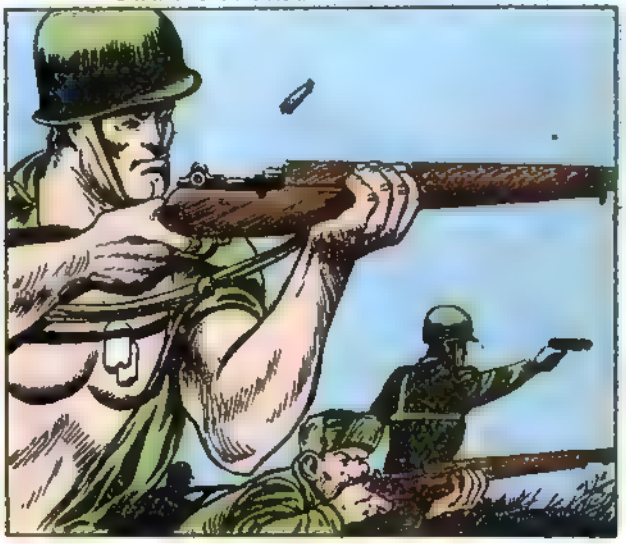
I HEARD THAT CRACK, SARGE!


WHAT CRACK? DIDN'T YOU USETA WRESTLE ON TELEVISION?
SURE!
AN' WEREN'T ALL THE BOUTS REHEARSED?
YEAH!
DID YOU EVER WRESTLE WHEN THE BOUT WASN'T REHEARSED?
NAW!
SO YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW IF YOU CAN REALLY WRESTLE... DO YOU?

MANUEL THE MAGNIFICENT DIDN'T ANSWER THAT... NOT WITH WORDS ANYWAY! HE JUST WALKED AWAY...



WE HEARD NO MORE WRESTLIN' STORIES AFTER THAT... AN' FRANKLY THE GUYS MISSED 'EM... UNTIL THE REDS STARTED PROVIDIN' THE ENTERTAINMENT...



AFTER THE CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY AND THE WITHDRAWAL, CAME THE DIGGING IN... AND THEN THE PATROLS...

OUR SQUAD'S IT, HUH, SARGE?
YEAH, COOKIE! LET'S GET OUTFITTED FOR THE DETAIL! LEAVE YOUR NOISY CANTEENS BEHIND! TAPE YOUR DOG TAGS SO THEY WON'T JINGLE-JANGLE! SIX GRENADES PER MAN... AN' ALL THE AMMO YOU WANT!

AT MIDNIGHT, WE TOOK THE STROLL TOWARD COMMIE LAND..

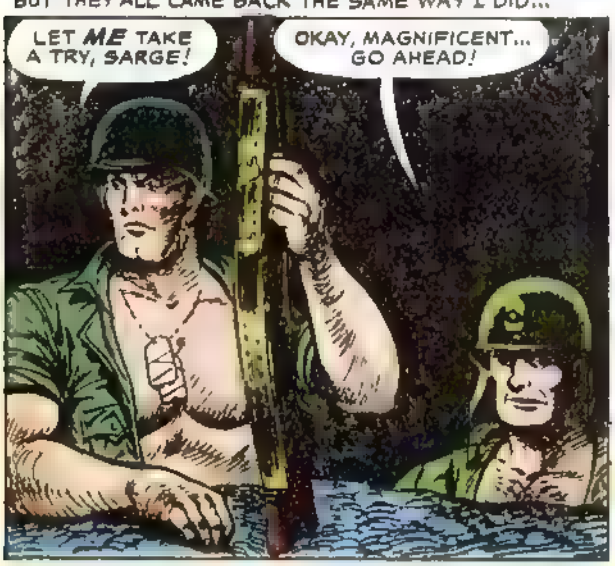
ONE HOUR LATER, WE WERE BULLET-DEEP IN A COMMIE AMBUSH...

HERE, THERE... REDS EVERYWHERE, SARGE! WHAT'RE WE GOIN' TO DO ABOUT IT?
WE'RE OUTNUMBERED BUT WE'VE GOT ENOUGH CLIPS AND GRENADES TO HOLD OFF LONG ENOUGH TO GIVE ONE OF US A CHANCE TO SNEAK BACK TO THE OUTFIT FOR HELP!

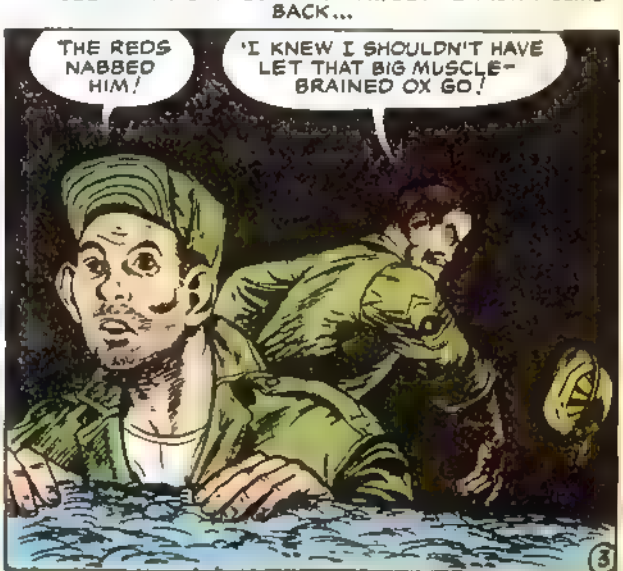
I SURE NEEDED IT, AFTER I CRAWLED OUT INTO THE OPEN...

WHAT I NEEDED... AN' WHAT I GOT WERE TWO DIFFERENT THINGS! THE COMMIE RAT-TAT-TATS RAMMED ME BACK...

THEN KOWALSKI TRIED, AND O'CONNER AND THE SARGE... BUT THEY ALL CAME BACK THE SAME WAY I DID...



MANUEL THE MAGNIFICENT WENT... BUT HE DIDN'T COME BACK...



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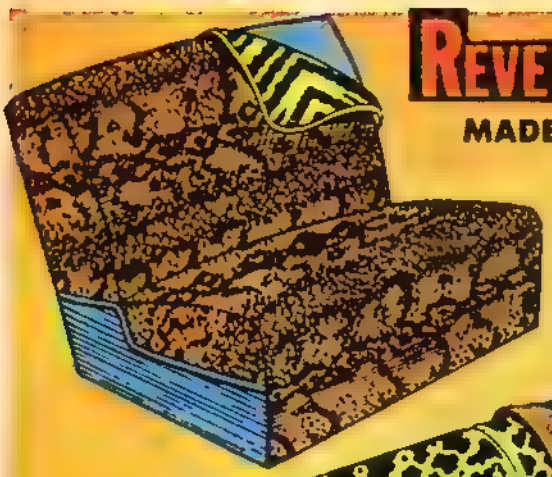

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FOR THE NEXT COUPLE OF HOURS AFTER THAT, WE DIDN'T SEND OUT ANYTHIN' BUT BULLETS...
SOMEBODY'S COMIN'.. AN' THEY'RE GONNA GO...
NO, SARGE! HOLD YOUR FIRE!
MANUEL THE MAGNIFICENT! BUT WE SAW YOU GET CAPTURED! WHAT HAPPENED TO THE REDS?
THEY'RE ALL BACK THERE! THEY'LL COME TO AFTER A WHILE!
"AFTER THEY CAPTURED ME, SOMEONE RECOGNIZED ME FROM MY WRESTLIN' MATCHES IN FILMS... AN' THEY WANTED ME TO WRESTLE THEIR CHAMP..."
NOW I'LL FIND OUT IF I CAN REALLY WRESTLE!
"I GAVE HIM THE CHOO-CHOO CHARGE' LIKE I USED TO DO ON TV IN THE REHEARSED MATCHES..."
"AN' AFTER I FLATTENED HIM... I STARTED ON ALL THE OTHERS..."
I HAD TO PROVE TO MYSELF THAT I COULD REALLY WRESTLE!
WOW! HERE, THERE... REDS EVERYWHERE!
MANUEL, NOT ONLY CAN YOU REALLY WRESTLE... BUT YOU REALLY ARE MAGNIFICENT!
YEAH?
THE END

TRUE WAR STORIES THAT MADE HISTORY...TOLD BY

COMBAT KELLY

"OKAY, SO MAYBE THIS ***WORLD WAR I*** STORY NEVER MADE THE HISTORY BOOKS... BUT IT DID SOMETHIN' MORE IMPORTANT! IT MADE A MAN OUT OF A MIXED-UP DOUGHBOY WHO WENT...

A. W. O. L. !"

OVER THE HILL... THAT'S THE ONLY WAY TO GET OUT OF FIGHTIN' THIS WAR! LET THE FRENCH AND THE BRITISH FIGHT THEIR OWN BATTLES! WHY SHOULD I DO IT? I WANT TO GET BACK TO MY WIFE AND KIDS!

I'LL HEAD WEST UNTIL I GET TO THE CHANNEL... THEN I'LL STOW AWAY ON A SHIP HEADIN' FOR THE STATES! NOBODY WILL KNOW WHERE TO LOOK FOR ME...

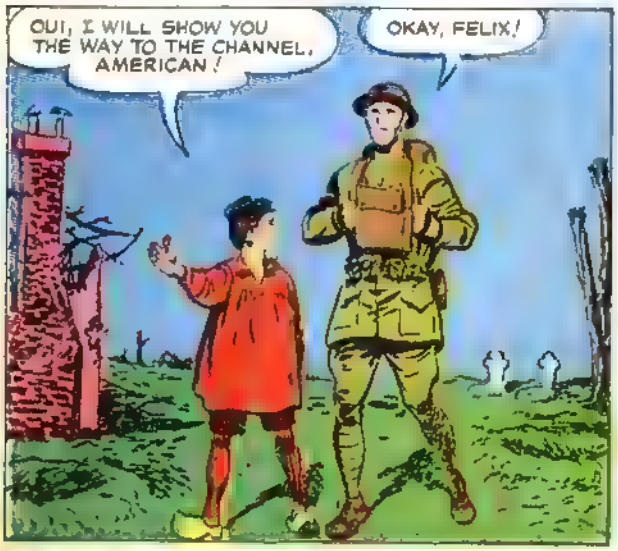
SUDDENLY PRIVATE TED WALLACH AN' HIS THOUGHTS STOPPED LIKE THEY'D BOTH SMACKED INTO A STONE WALL...

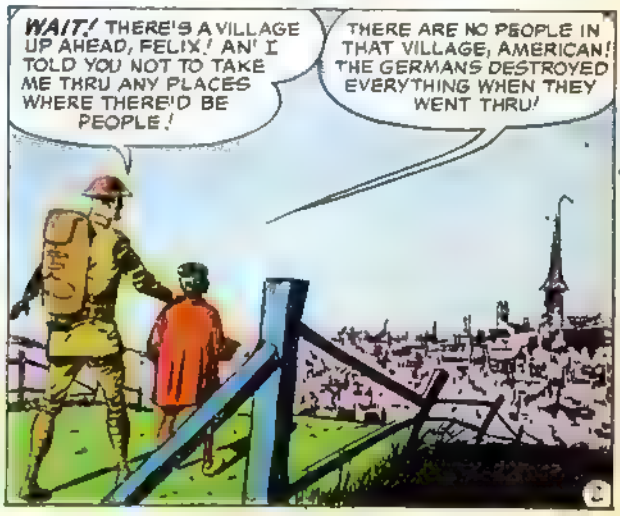
HE'S BREATHIN'... HE'S ALIVE!

THE STRONG BLACK ARMY COFFEE REVIVED THE BOY... AND WORDLESSLY HE ATE THE FOOD TED OFFERED HIM...

TED WATCHED AS THE BOY ATE... AND TED SAID A PRAYER THAT HIS KID WOULD NEVER BE THAT HUNGRY! WHEN THE BOY FINISHED HE THANKED TED WITH A BIG GRIN...

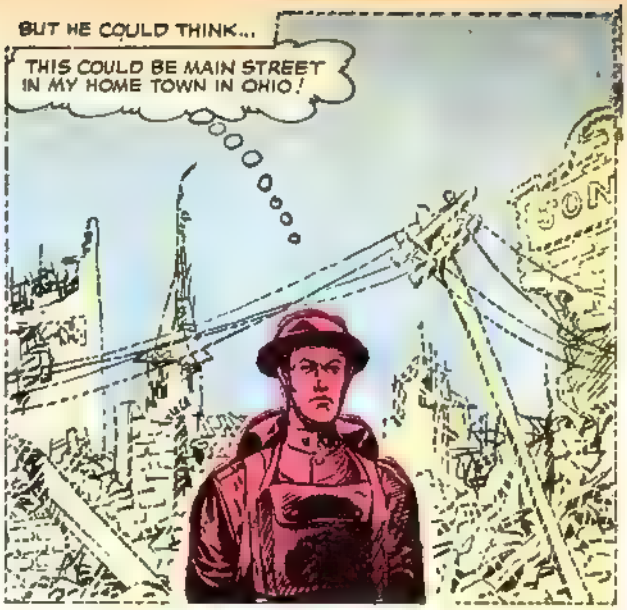
ARE YOU LOST? WHERE'S YOUR MOTHER AND FATHER?
THERE!


TED SAID ANOTHER PRAYER... THEN HE AND THE BOY WALKED AWAY...
OUI, I WILL SHOW YOU THE WAY TO THE CHANNEL, AMERICAN!
OKAY, FELIX!


THE YOUNG FRENCH BOY WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT AMERICA... AN' TED TOLD HIM ABOUT HIS TOWN, HIS WIFE AND THE BABY THAT HAD BEEN BORN AFTER HE'D LEFT FOR OVERSEAS...
WAIT! THERE'S A VILLAGE UP AHEAD, FELIX! AN' I TOLD YOU NOT TO TAKE ME THRU ANY PLACES WHERE THERE'D BE PEOPLE!
THERE ARE NO PEOPLE IN THAT VILLAGE, AMERICAN! THE GERMANS DESTROYED EVERYTHING WHEN THEY WENT THRU!

THEY WALKED THRU THE SILENT VILLAGE! TED'S EYES STARED AT THE RUBBLED HOMES, THE EMPTY SHOPS, THE DESERTED STREETS! HE DIDN'T SPEAK... HE COULDN'T...

BUT HE COULD THINK...

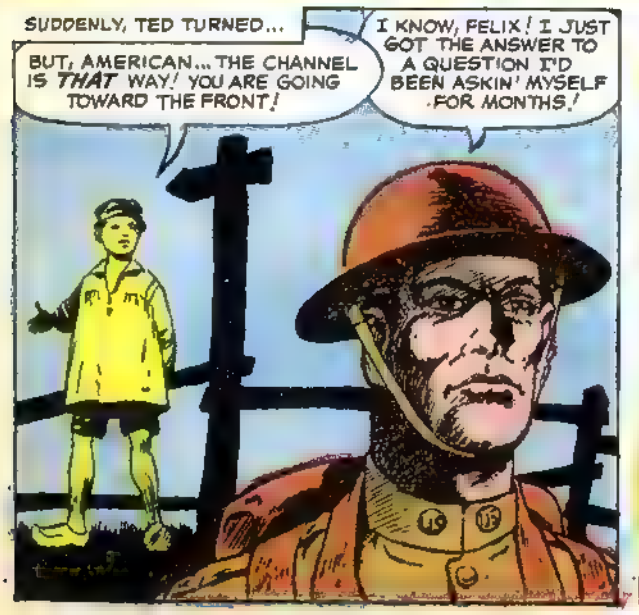


THEY WENT ON, PAST THE VILLAGE AND THRU WHEAT FIELDS AND VINEYARDS PLOWED BY ENEMY TANKS AND SHELLS...

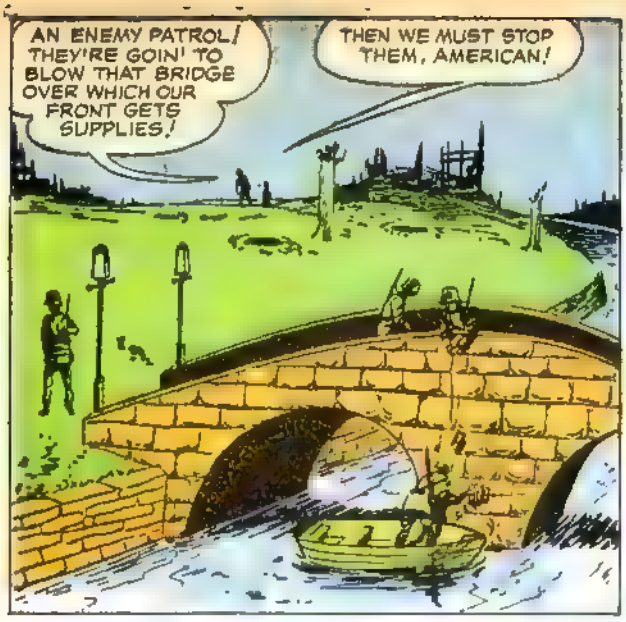
EVERYWHERE WERE THE BLEMISHES OF WAR! NOTHING HAD BEEN SPARED, NEITHER PEOPLE, NOR ANIMALS, NOR PROPERTY...

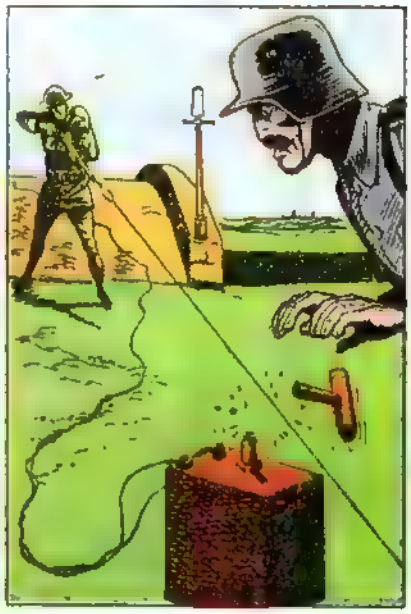
NO... NOTHIN' HAD BEEN SPARED...

SUDDENLY, TED TURNED...


BUT, AMERICAN... THE CHANNEL IS *THAT* WAY! YOU ARE GOING TOWARD THE FRONT!
I KNOW, FELIX! I JUST GOT THE ANSWER TO A QUESTION I'D BEEN ASKIN' MYSELF FOR MONTHS!

FELIX DIDN'T UNDERSTAND... BUT FAITHFULLY HE TAGGED AFTER TED FOR MILES...





A LONG TIME LATER, TED GOT BACK TO HIS OUTFIT... CARRYING SLEEPING FELIX...

I WENT A.W.O.L., SARGE... BECAUSE I THOUGHT I WAS FIGHTIN' SOMEBODY ELSE'S WAR! BUT I LEARNED DIFFERENT! I'LL TAKE WHAT I'VE GOT COMIN' TO ME!
OKAY... HERE!

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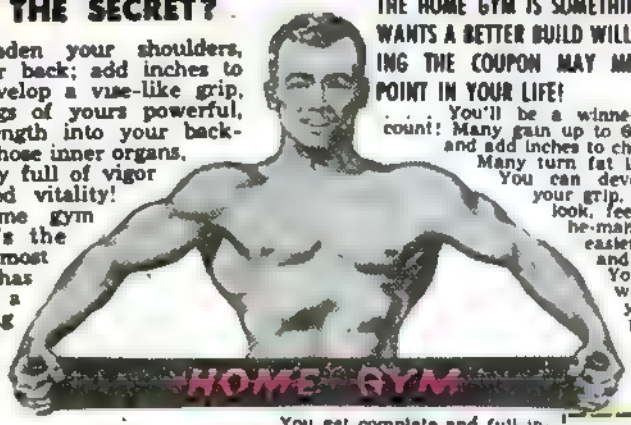

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at their belts, even the orderly . . . good weapons, too, in strong scabbards. The blades had been carefully cleaned according to regulations, once a week. The commandant stood up.

"Never used this sword yet," he said, smiling. "Except for pointing or . . ." He laughed a little. "Probably less than two dozen shells left in the whole city, and maybe half a dozen rounds of rifle ammunition per man, if that. Well, we've got pistols, swords, bayonets."

The orderly stood at the window and peered out at the distant hills.

"See anything, Baskin?"

There was little to see. Even if there *had* been something to see, it would have been invisible until fairly close to the enemy positions.

The commandant glanced at the captain.

"Now why . . . why," he mused again, "would they be sending us a surrender demand now? Why just now? Why not yesterday, or the day before, or last week?"

A gun boomed again; the shell came screaming overhead, and the sound died.

"Dud," the commandant said.

"No . . . wait," the captain said.

There was a sudden, muffled explosion.

"Fell in some empty cistern," the commandant said. "It wasn't a dud." He grinned. "Maybe *you* ought to be in command, Captain."

The captain shook his head.

"It's because you're in command, sir, that we're still here, at least."

"Yes, I'm good at waiting," the other replied. "But what are we waiting for? When does the waiting end?" He toyed with his sword hilt. "I rather imagine it may end soon. Have you ever been involved in a surrender, Captain?"

The captain shook his head.

"There's an involved etiquette to it," the commandant said. "You hand the enemy commander your sword; then there's some silly, polite chit-chat, and they march you off."

All three men smiled; all three of them knew there would be no polite chit-chat. There was no love lost on either side in this war. Perhaps the right and wrong of it would never be solved. But a surrender would be a definite thing all men would know was so. It would rankle; it would be a blot on the military honor of the country whose men had surrendered.

An hour passed; another hour passed, and then the third.

The commandant who had been ceaselessly making rounds came back to the fortified room and said, "Do you know they haven't fired a shot in three hours?"

The captain nodded.

"They can't be running short of ammunition," he said. "All the supply lines are in their hands . . . have been since before the siege started."

Off on the far distant rim of visibility a cannonade started. It did not last long, though it was a powerful one.

The orderly handed the commandant a cup of tea. No one said anything for a moment. The commandant shrugged wearily. "Probably an explosion in one of their munition dumps. Ought to happen once a day."

His eyes glazed. "You know, I'm not going to relish their marching in. Flags flying . . ." He shuddered. "Backs stiff, eyes bright . . . theirs, that is." He glanced up as his orderly sprang suddenly to the window. "What's up, Baskin?" he asked.

The orderly stood rigid for a moment.

"Do relax, old chap," the commandant said. "We're all under tension, and . . ." His wandering eyes paused, brightened. "Did you hear something, Baskin, eh?"

There was another cannonade; it, too, did not last long.

"That couldn't be another dump going off," the captain muttered. "Two chances like that don't happen in . . ."

"It wasn't a dump, sir," Baskin said. "Neither of them were dumps." His voice choked. "They were guns, all right. *Our* guns!"

"What?" the commandant muttered. "How can you tell?"

He stepped to the window. There was a moment of silence, and then he took a deep breath. It didn't take x-ray vision to see just across the city to its edge. "So *that's* why they demanded a surrender!" he said. "They wanted to get inside the city, use it for defense against the relief!"

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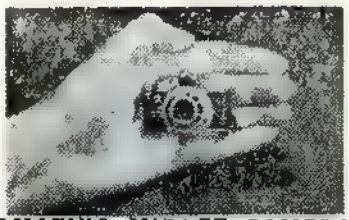

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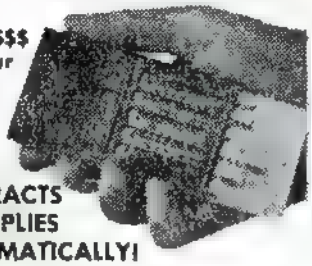

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YEAH, COOKIE!
THIS WE EXPECTED FROM THE QUILTED ANIMALS FROM THE NORTH.. BUT NOT FROM OUR SONS!
YOUR SONS...YOUR OWN KIDS...D'D THIS TO YOU?
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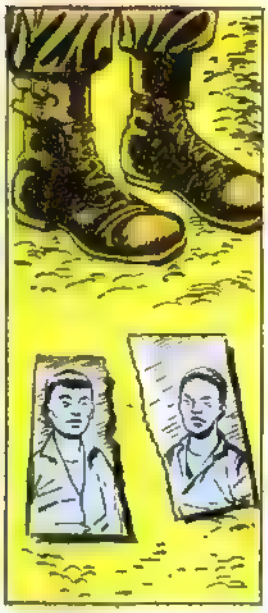
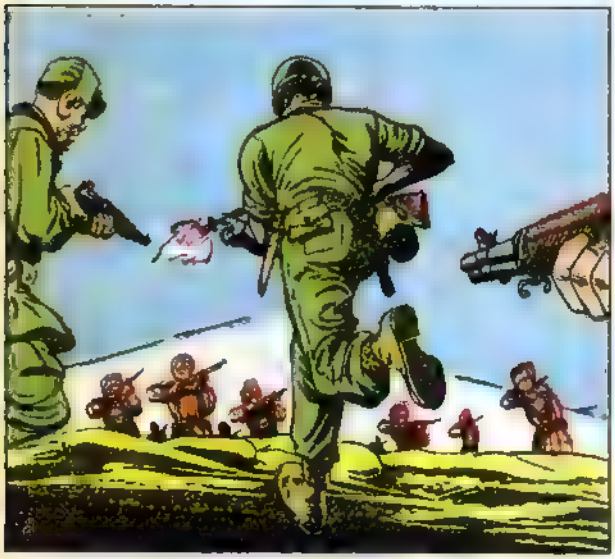
YES, THEY AND THE COMMUNIST ARMY THEY JOINED AFTER THEY WERE FORCED TO GO WITH THEM AFTER A RAID MANY MONTHS AGO!
BUT FROM THIS DAY, THEY ARE OUR SONS NO MORE! WE TEAR THEM FROM OUR HEARTS AS SURELY AS I TEAR UP THEIR PHOTOGRAPH!



WHY'D YOU PICK UP THE PIECES OF THE PHOTO HE TORE UP, COMBAT?
SO I'D REMEMBER THESE TWO TURNCOATS... JUST IN CASE WE SHOULD EVER RUN INTO 'EM!

BAKER COMPANY MOVED UP... AND THEY MET THE REDS FACE TO FACE A FEW MILES LATER...

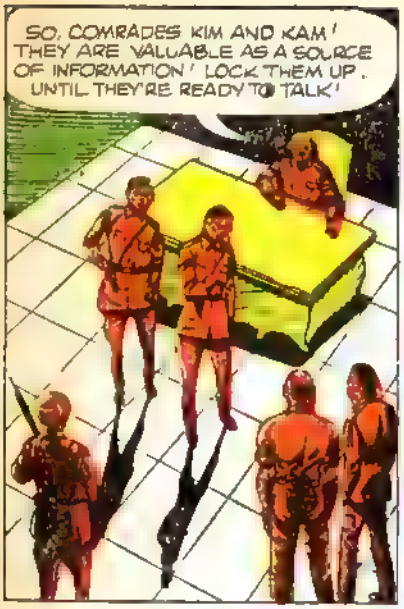


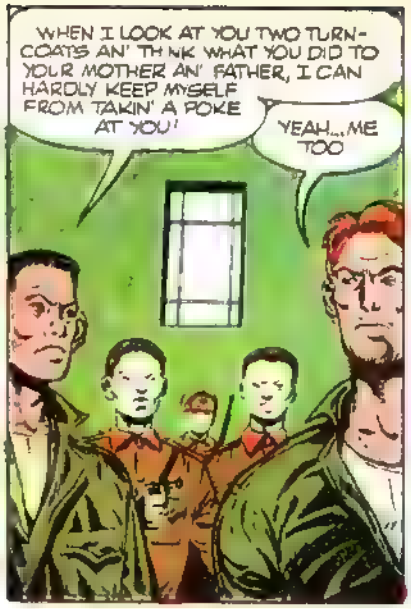
AFTER GARANDS, GRENADES AND G.I.'S DID THEIR DETAIL ON THE COMMIES... THE DOGGIES GOT A DIFFERENT VIEW OF THE REDS...

AFTER EVERY BATTLE, THE OUTFIT REGROUPED, ESTABLISHED A DEFENSE LINE, PUT OUT A SECURITY AND PUSHED OUT PATROLS...

WE'VE LOOKED, PEEKED AN' SEARCHED FOR LONGER THAN A HITCH IT SEEMS, COMBAT... BUT THERE AIN'T NO SIGN OF ANY REDS OR WHAT THEY'RE UP TO!
YEAH, COOKIE...

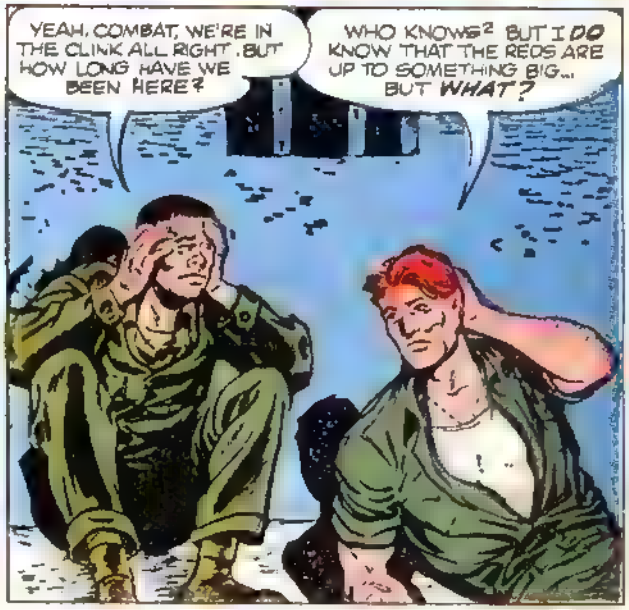
SUDDENLY, THE RED AMBUSH STRUCK!
COMBAT KELLY'S THOMPSON CHATTERED AND COOKIE NOVAK'S GARAND BARKED..AND THE REDS YAPPED..
BUT THE COMMIES HAD MORE COMMIES THAN COMBAT AND COOKIE HAD CALIBERS IN THEIR CLIPS...
TAKE THEM AWAY!
YES COMRADE SERGEANT!
COMRADE COLONEL. WE CAUGHT THESE TWO SNOOPING SOUTH OF HERE!
GOOD! THAT MEANS THEIR COMPANY DOES NOT KNOW OUR PLANS AND ARE ANXIOUS TO FIND OUT WHAT WE PLAN TO DO NEXT!
I SEARCHED THEM...AND FOUND THIS!
A TORN PHOTOGRAPH...OF TWO OF OUR LIEUTENANTS BEFORE THEY BECAME OFFICERS! GET THEM BEFORE ME IMMEDIATELY!
WE DO NOT KNOW HOW THEY COME TO BE IN POSSESSION OF THIS PHOTOGRAPH, COMRADE COLONEL!
BUT WE PROVED OUR LOYALTY TO THE COMMUNIST ARMY BY LEADING THE RAID ON OUR PARENTS' FARM!


SO, COMRADES KIM AND KAM! THEY ARE VALUABLE AS A SOURCE OF INFORMATION! LOCK THEM UP. UNTIL THEY'RE READY TO TALK!

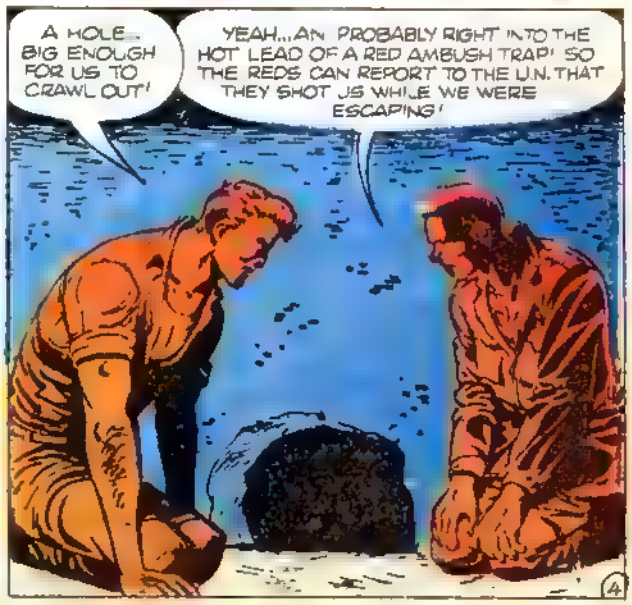

WHEN I LOOK AT YOU TWO TURN-COATS AN' THINK WHAT YOU DID TO YOUR MOTHER AN' FATHER, I CAN HARDLY KEEP MYSELF FROM TAKIN' A POKE AT YOU!
YEAH... ME TOO

ONLY I CAN'T KEEP FROM DOIN IT!

IT'S A GOOD THING FOR YOU, THE COLONEL WANTS YOU ALIVE!
WELL DONE, COMRADE LEUTENANT! WHEN THEY AWAKEN... THEY WILL BE IN THEIR PRISON CAGES!


YEAH, COMBAT, WE'RE IN THE CLINK ALL RIGHT. BUT HOW LONG HAVE WE BEEN HERE?
WHO KNOWS? BUT I DO KNOW THAT THE REDS ARE UP TO SOMETHING BIG... BUT WHAT?

EVEN IF WE KNEW, WHAT GOOD WOULD IT DO US LOCKED UP IN THIS POKEY WITH NO WAY OUT?
COOKIE! LOOK OVER HERE!


A HOLE... BIG ENOUGH FOR US TO CRAWL OUT!
YEAH... AN PROBABLY RIGHT INTO THE HOT LEAD OF A RED AMBUSH TRAP! SO THE REDS CAN REPORT TO THE U.N. THAT THEY SHOT US WHILE WE WERE ESCAPING!

THE TWO DOGGIES DECIDED THEY HAD NOTHING TO LOSE BUT THEIR LIVES...SO THEY TOOK THE CHANCE...

LOOKS OKAY!

YEAH! LET'S GO!

WE'RE ON OUR WAY BACK...BUT I STILL CAN'T FIGURE HOW COME THAT HOLE WAS...

HEY! LOOK WHAT I FOUND IN MY POCKET! THE TORN PHOTO!

HOW'D IT GET THERE? THOSE TWO DOUBLE-CROSSERS... KIM AND KAM HAD THOSE PIECES LAST!

THERE'S WRITIN' ON THE BACK OF 'EM... AN' IT EXPLAINS ALL! MAJOR THORN HAS GOTTA SEE THIS!

AND AS FAST AS INFANTRY LEGS COULD HUP-HUP COMBAT AND COOKIE BROUGHT THAT INFO TO THEIR C.O. ...

THE WRITING ON THE BACK OF THOSE PHOTO PIECES IS SIGNED! THOSE TWO SONS OF THE KOREAN FARMER PUT THEM INTO MY POCKET AN' ALSO DUG THE HOLE FOR OUR ESCAPE!

THE MESSAGE ON THIS PIECE SAYS THE REDS ARE GOING TO PULL A SNEAK ATTACK AROUND OUR LEFT FLANK EARLY IN THE MORNING! THAT'S OUR WEAKEST SECTOR!

AN' THE WRITIN' ON THIS HUNK SAYS TO TELL THEIR MOTHER AN' FATHER THAT THE REDS ***MADE*** THEM PULL THAT RAID ON THEIR FARM TO PROVE THEY WERE GOOD COMMIE OFFICERS!

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